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I support the following Bills...

I wanted to submit my support for the following bills.

Today I can stay that I'm fortunate enough to say that I myself have not experienced gun violence in my own life, but I do fear at the rate our society is headed that my 3 children won't be able to say the same.

While I may not have suffered from gun violence it is with a narrowing degree that I and we all know someone who has been affected by gun violence. My best friend's parents were murdered at the hands of a man who stole a gun from a home. That gun was accessible to him because it was not properly stored, it was kept in a bedside night stand.

Two college classmates of mine married shortly after graduation. Michael Franklin joined the army and after having served several tours he killed his wife and then turned the gun on himself in a murder suicide, while their 2 young children were in the home at the time.

We have all been touched negatively by the impact of gun violence in schools. Our children deserve better!!! You can help make that happen.

I support the following bills

H.B. 7218 An Act Concerning the Safe Storage of Firearms in the Home;

H.B. 7223 An Act Concerning the Safe Storage of Firearms in Vehicles;

H.B. 7219 An Act Concerning Ghost Guns; and

S.B. 60 An Act Concerning the Presentation of a Carry Permit.

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